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I HOPE THAT THE NEW ADMINISTRATION DOES NOT INTEND TO DEAL WITH THE CHINESE ON IMPORTANT MATTERS SUCH AS U.S. POLICY TOWARDS VIETNAM EXCLUSIVELY THROUGH PRC LIAISON OFFICE IN WASHINGTON. IF U.S.L.O. IS TO REPRESENT U.S. INTERESTS HERE EFFECTIVELY WE MUST SEEK EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO HAVE MORE SUBSTANTIVE CONTACTS WITH CHINESE OFFICIALS. I CAN UNDERSTAND THOSE EXCEPTIONS WHEN THE DEPARTMENT CONSIDERS THAT A SECRETARY OR WHITE HOUSE LEVEL APPROACH IS REQUIRED. HOWEVER, IN OTHER CASES I WOULD HOPE THAT USLO WOULD BE INSTRUCTED AT MINIMUM TO MAKE SIMULTANEOUS APPROACH TO MFA.

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